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**Part B for** December 1942

SUBJECT.

Slit trenches. — Employment of coolies.

P. Krishnan.
14.12.42.

1533/W. Slit trenches. — Employment of coolies

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Letter No. AC 291/A.R.P/42-3 dated the 11th Nov. '42 from the A.R.P Officer, Beira, forwarded through the D.G.A.R.P. requesting Sanction of Govt. to the continuance till the end of the official year of the Services of 44 coolies employed for filling up certain trenches not fit for use, & improving those excavated in good soil.

It is stated that out of the total length of 5,655 running feet of slit trenches, 931 feet are found to be of no use for rainy season & therefore 44 coolies were employed from 24.6.42 on a pay of Rs 12/- p.m. for filling up these trenches which are found not useful & to improve the others excavated in good soil. These coolies are being continued & it is requested that Sanction may be accorded for their continuance till the end of the official year & to draw their allowances in the pay bills of the A.R.P. estts.

Subd for orders.

DOR 17.XI.42 Sec.

The extra cost will be about $288/-. No arrangements have been made therefore with Messrs Jam Coolies. The work has not been completed yet. Sanction is asked for upto the end of March 1943 or when completed in June

Chief Secretary

Law Officer

Private Secretary

19.11.42

NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

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I have discussed this with the D.R.P Controller. The staff was engaged in maintaining the travellers. The closing has only just begun. The proposal is sanctioned.

24/11/42

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Subd with a draft G.O

25/11

RS 25/11

Financial Secr. has agreed. Draft G.O. submitted.

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to GI GSP Communication Dte, Simla.

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**GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE**

Telegram
phone

OFFICE OF

the A.R.P. Officer,

Bangalore City.

A/C No. 291/ARP/42-3
Encls.

Date 11th November, 1942.

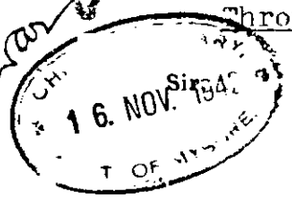
Forwarded for Confirmation.

Deputy Controller General of Stores

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Through: The Inspector General of Police in Mysore, Bangalore.



Sir,

I have the honour to state that it was observed that the slit trenches constructed in the City at heavy cost were being flooded with rain water for want of proper drainage. There were also many complaints from the neighbouring inhabitants that children are likely to get drowned in them. As the matter was urgent, 4 Coolies were employed with the approval of the Inspector General of Police with effect from 24-6-1942, on a pay at Rs.12/- per mensem, for a period of one month to start with, the cost being debited to the current year's A.R.P. grant. After the detail examination of all the slit trenches that were excavated, it was found that out of a total length of about 5,655 running feet, 931 feet were in a very bad condition and they were of no use for rainy season. This was due to the bad soil and low grounds. They were only useful in summer and the improvement to withstand the rainy season was meant a very heavy cost. Further, the stagnation of water in these trenches was a source of danger as already stated to the children living nearby. It was therefore, proposed to fill up these trenches and arrange to improve these which are excavated in good soil.

The continuance of the services of these Coolies was very necessary. These men are being continued with the approval of the Inspector General of Police. The claims of their salaries have been admitted in audit, pending sanction of Government authorising this recurring expenditure.

Under the circumstances, I request that sanction of Government may kindly be accorded to continue their services till the end of official year and permission accorded to draw their allowances in the pay bills of the A.R.P. Establishment instead of in the Detailed Contingent Bill.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

A.R.P. ~~Officer,~~
Bangalore City.

KVN.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue ..... 25.11.42

Signed by K. S. K-V

May this be—

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(ii) treated as a standing order ?

(iii) published in the Gazette, English Part ?

(iv) translated ?

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*Read*— letter no A.C. 291/ARP/42-4 & 11th Nov. 42 from the ARP Officer Bangalore, received thro the IGP stating that 4 coolies were employed with the approval of the IGP with effect from 24th June 42 on a pay at Rs 12 p.m. each for a period of one month to start with Order thereon.—No. for maintaining the Slit trenches, that the continuance of the services of these coolies are now very necessary in the circumstances stated and requesting sanction of Govt to the continuance of their services till the end

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